

Jefferson County Parks Turkey Hunt – April 17-May 4, 2021

Purpose: The Jefferson County Parks Department will be providing an opportunity for hunters to participate in a limited season turkey gun hunt in portions of Dorothy Carnes County Park. The hunt will take place during the first three periods of the specified Wisconsin Gun Turkey Hunt from April 17-May 4, 2021. The time period will be split into three periods with one hunter hunting during each period. The periods are broken down as follows:

1. Youth Season: April 17 & April 18, 2021

Period A: April 21-April 27, 2021
 Period B: April 28-May 4, 2021

Youth Eligibility Requirements:

- Open to residents and non-residents who are 15 years of age and younger and possess a spring turkey license, stamp and valid harvest authorization for spring 2021. Youth ages 11 and under and youth without hunter education must hunt under the Hunting Mentorship Program.
- Harvest authorizations issued for any spring 2021 turkey hunting time period may be used during the youth hunt. A youth may fill a harvest authorization valid for the zone in which they are hunting during the youth hunt, regardless of which time period the authorization is also valid for.
- A youth who does not harvest a turkey during the youth hunt may use his/her unfilled harvest authorization during the time period and in the zone for which it was issued.
- Youth hunters must be accompanied by an adult 18 years of age or older during the two-day youth hunt.

Youth Applicants must select their own chaperone (i.e. friend or family), one will not be provided. Chaperones will not be allowed to hunt or carry a firearm during the hunt.

All participants will be required to participate in a phone conference/zoom meeting with Jefferson County Park Staff to review the rules of the hunt, hunting boundaries, and parking and property access prior to their scheduled hunt. All other Wisconsin Turkey Hunting rules and regulations will apply. Each hunter will be required to have a valid 2021 Turkey Gun License.

Applications: The Jefferson County Parks Department will accept completed applications from qualified hunters until noon April 12, 2021. Applications are available via this link: https://jeffersonco.seamlessdocs.com/f/a8vs94cfo8g5. Applications will be selected by lottery drawing and selected hunters will be notified no later than April 16, 2021.



Jefferson County Parks Department 2021 Turkey Gun Hunt Rules and Regulations

The Jefferson County Parks Department is providing opportunities for hunters to hunt an undeveloped area of Dorothy Carnes County Park. Applications will be accepted at the parks department office (311 S. Center Avenue, Room 204, Jefferson, WI 53549) until noon on April 12, 2021, with one youth hunter and two hunters being drawn at random to participate in the hunt. If you have any further questions please feel free to contact the Jefferson County Parks Department at (920) 674-7260.

Hunting Rules:

- Weapons must be unloaded and, in a case, when walking through closed areas of the park, including all public use areas such as parking lots and hiking trails.
- All hunters participating must comply with all DNR Turkey Hunting Rules (i.e. clothing requirements, legal shooting hours, etc.).
- o All Youth hunters must remain within sight of their mentors at all times.
- A current and valid DNR turkey harvest tag is required to harvest turkey within the boundary of the park.
- There will be no hunting within 100 feet of any closed areas and established hiking or recreation trails.
- No discharging of a firearm for any reason other than shooting at a legal target.
- Hunters may use portable tree stands or ground blinds and all structures must be removed at the end of each day.
- Damaging of trees or removal of vegetation is prohibited.
- o Permits will be valid for one person only, and not transferable to any other person.
- Personal mobility devices such as ATV's or UTV's are allowed for individuals holding a class A or B hunting license. Entering and exiting the property with a personal mobility device will be limited to specific routes to and from stands and may be limited due to weather restrictions or ground conditions such as significant rain or snow.
- At no time will a second party to the hunter attempt to "drive" animals through the park to the hunter's location. This is fair chase hunting only.

NOTE: Non-hunting park users have a right to use the entire park during open park hours. Hunters will be expected to use care and obey the rules of firearm safety at all times. If you have any questions regarding this hunt contact the Jefferson County Parks Department at (920) 674-7260.



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Applicant Name: _	Date of Birth:			Date of Birth:
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Address:			City: _	State:
Zip Code:			Daytime Phone:	
DNR Customer ID	#:			
If applying for the	Youth H	unt please	also complete:	
Chaperone Name:				Date of Birth:
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Applicant Signatur	e:		1	Date:

Signed and printed copies may be mailed or delivered to: Jefferson County Parks Department 311 S Center Street, Room 204 Jefferson, WI 53549

Area open for hunting is ~120 acres, outlined in red in the photo below.

This area is part of Dorothy-Carnes Park, Fort Atkinson, WI.

Parking and access information will be provided upon successful drawing of the property.

